

THE GREATER PALAIS ROYAL

A. LISNER. Washington, D. C. G STREET.

A Question of Taste.

The Hat

A Matter of Price.



Since not more than one woman in ten thousand can pretend to be "a milliner" and since but one in tens of thousands rise really superior the making or the selection of a hat is surely a matter of taste.

As to the matter of price—there's the factory made hat little in price and every other respect, and there's the hat of undoubted merit at a price exorbitantly high. Such is the rule—and there are few exceptions to this rule.

\$7.50 Hats \$10

Every Easter time a day is set apart here for the special display of the cleverest hats made by the Palais Royal Milliners at modest prices. It's a day of keen competition—when each milliner is represented with her prize creations. It's a day when the matter of taste and the matter of price need not trouble the visitor. It's the day when the acme of style and beauty is linked with the minimum of cost. Tomorrow is to be the day of days for 1912. Visitors are cordially invited—and words of praise for this or that hat will be eagerly awaited and heartily appreciated. Place—Second floor. Time—Tomorrow. Hours—8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Hats Representative of Every Best Taste.

There are the ideals of the milliner who is famous for picture hats; the "gems" of the milliner who best produces small hats; the college girl's milliner has her prizes, so has the one who best understands the making of hats for elderly ladies. It's to be "The Palais Royal Milliners' Day"—Tomorrow.

Displayed in Private Parlors.

\$14 Hats \$25

By special request of the milliners no details are given of these Hats—further than that they are one-of-a-kind and each is representative of an ideal for this or that type of face and form. Visitors not regular patrons are requested to ask for the milliner-in-chief—Miss Dell—who will point out the private parlors and promptly wait upon those requesting her services.

White, Tan and Navy.

A grand exposition and sale of Cloth Suits at \$18.50 and \$25.00. That these are the prize garments at these prices is the hope and anticipation of the chief of the Palais Royal Suit Department.

Suits, \$18.50 and \$25

Since white, tan and navy are in primary demand this season the showing here of Suits in such vast variety of styles and sizes will be an important factor—with Easter now almost here.



"Bon Ton"

The "Bon Ton," indorsed by the elite of London. The "demonstration" of these corsets will practically demonstrate their superiority.

\$3.00

The new "Bon Ton," with all the attributes of previous best \$5.00 Corsets.

Also at \$3.00—the "Adjusto," creating a far greater reduction of abdomen, hips and upper limbs than heretofore, while utmost support and comfort are assured.



A PERFECT FIGURE FOR \$1

THE SHIRT-RUFFLE BUST FORM

Ruffles DRAW OUT FLAT TO LAUNDRY

Pure Glycerine Soap, 1/2 lb., 7c.

The Following Are Also Highly Recommended.

Williams' Talcum Powder, 2 for.....25c	Sanitol Face Cream, jar.....25c
Mando "Hair Remover," bottle.....75c	Stillman Freckle Cream, jar.....35c
Vaseline Cold Cream, jar.....25c	Javah Cerate, jar.....45c
Lustrite Manicure Sets, set.....10c	Arnica Tooth Soap, cake.....20c
Lustrite Hand Velvet, tube.....10c	La Belle Tooth Brushes, each.....10c
La Vida Cucumber Cream, jar.....25c	Silk Sponges, each.....10c
Absorbent Cotton, pkg.....5c	Wash Cloths, 2 for.....5c
Steel Cut Nail Files, each.....10c	Orange Wood Nail Sticks, 12 for.....15c
Emery Boards, dozen.....5c	Hay's Hair Health, bottle.....35c
D. & R. Cold Cream, tube.....10c	Canthrox, box.....35c
Genuine Rose Water, bottle.....25c	Resinol Salve, box.....35c
Selyt Face Cloths, each.....25c	Pumice Stone, each.....10c
Colgate's Dental Cream, tube.....10c	M. & L. Florida Water, bottle.....50c
	Sheep's Wool Sponges, each.....10c

The Imported Suits.

The very latest models of note are here. White and cream Bedford cord and whipcord models are selected for special mention because superlatively best. At \$32.50 are the Plain Tailored Suits; at \$45.00 are superbly draped and braided models.

Suits, \$32.50 and \$45

At \$29.00 are Chiffon Taffeta Dresses, lace trimmed, including imported garments worth \$40.00 to \$50.00. At \$18.50 are \$25.00 models of Messaline and Taffeta Dresses for afternoon and street wear. At \$25.00 and \$29.50 are Silk Suits with Russian coats.

"Worcester"

The "Worcester," indorsed by the elite of London. The "demonstration" of these corsets will practically demonstrate their superiority.

\$1.50

With "mighty" boning and six attached garters this "Royal Worcester" Corset is surprisingly superior at the price.

Other new models here for as little as \$1.00. The best at the price—without a question.



Headquarters for Silks.

The display of the new Crepe Meteor Silks, in the great show window on G street, is the most beautiful aggregation of colors and shades yet seen in Washington. Other late arrivals create the most complete gathering of New Silks. Not only all the new fabrics, but every shade, plain and with borders. Note the filmy marisettes, chiffon taffetas, pongees, messalines, foulards, satin stripe novelties and newly beautiful wash silks. Bargain Spots as follows:

\$2.00 for \$2.50 Satin Stripe Crepe Meteor.

\$1.00 Silks, 60c. 75c Silks, 50c.

50c for 85c Foulards—Guaranteed Spotproof.

Note that the Crepe Meteor is 42 inches wide, and here in all the shades. The \$1.00 Silk to be 60c yard tomorrow, is black Messaline; the 75c Silk to be 50c yard is Black Taffeta; the Foulards to be 50c instead of 85c yard are in best patterns and colors; guaranteed waterspot proof.

Cream Serges and Whipcord,

\$1.00 52-inch. \$1.25 54-inch. \$1.50 56-inch.

The Serges include the wide wale and the ordinary, plain cream, and with black stripes. The whipcords, generally scarce, are plentiful here. Note the width as well as the prices.

80c Yard for \$1.00 Storm Serges.

The Improved Silk-finished Storm Serges, 52 inches wide, all the new and wanted shades. Please appreciate a less than usual price for these wanted and scarce serges.

The Wanted Dress Trimmings.

Ratine Bands, 2 1/2 Inches Wide, 60c Yard.

These scarce and wanted dress trimmings are here in pink, blue, lavender and pongee. Crochet Ball Trimming to match at only 39c yard.

All-silk Knotted Fringe, in 75c 25c to \$1.25 a dozen for Cream all colors. Yard... Ivory-ball Buttons, three sizes to match. Fancy and Plain-weave Silk Bands, in black or cream, 1 1/2 and 3 50c 25c dozen for Crystal Trimming inches wide. Yard, 25c and... Buttons, in all colors.

The Optical Department.

Consult Dr. Samuel, Expert Optometrist—No Charge.

\$1.00 Pair for ordinary Eyeglasses or Spectacles, and specially low rates for the complicated, fitted by Dr. Samuel, expert optometrist and optician, graduate of two leading colleges. Office in Mezzanine Balcony, first floor. No charge for consultation.

The Palais Royal

A. LISNER. 8 A.M. to 6 P.M. G STREET.

OIL COMPANIES' OUSTER IN MISSOURI IS UPHELD

Supreme Court Rules Against the Standard and the Republic.

The anti-trust laws of Missouri were upheld today by the Supreme Court of the United States. The court approved the state's action in ousting the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and the Republic Oil Company of New York from the state and fining each \$50,000, under these laws.

Proceedings were begun in the state against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, the Republic Oil Company, a New York corporation, and the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, a Missouri corporation, charging them with having entered into a combination among themselves to control the prices of oil and to prevent competition therein within the state. The supreme court of Missouri found them guilty.

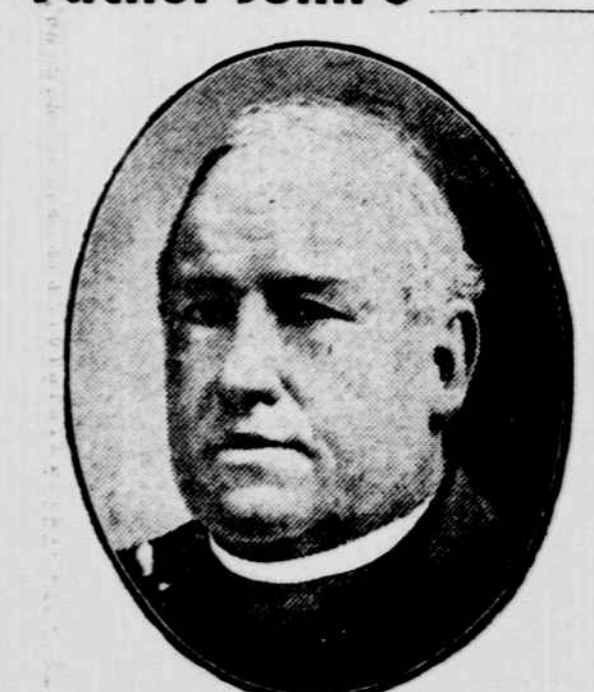
One Company Pays.

The Standard and the Republic were foreign corporations, so a decree was entered ousting them from the state and fining each \$50,000. The Waters-Pierce company was a Missouri corporation and the court set a day when its charter would be forfeited if the company did not pay a fifty-thousand-dollar fine. The fine was paid. Only the Standard and the Republic appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The claim was made that the corporations could not be ousted in the same proceedings. Furthermore, it was urged that ousting corporations was a greater punishment than was inflicted upon individual violators by the laws.

The International Harvester Company

Father John's Medicine



Unequaled as a Tonic and Body Builder. Makes Flesh and Strength. Cures Colds, throat and lung troubles, bronchitis, asthma and consumption. No Alcohol or dangerous drugs.

PLANS FOR UNVEILING STATUE OF COLUMBUS

Order to Have Twenty-Five Thousand Men in Parade.

With 25,000 Knights of Columbus in full regalia in the line of procession, a score or more of floats, elaborate and historical, depicting incidents connected with the discovery of America, the great Catholic order will take a prominent part in the national ceremonies to be incident to the unveiling, June 8, of the statue of Christopher Columbus, its patron saint, in the Union station plaza.

Following the exercises of the day, a banquet is to be given in Convention Hall under the auspices of the board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Seventeen hundred guests are to sit at table.

Edward L. Hearn, former supreme knight, commissioner in charge of the preparations for the participation of the Knights of Columbus in the unveiling ceremonies, has opened headquarters in room 708 in the New Willard Hotel. He will be in frequent consultation with Col. Spencer Conroy, U. S. A., engineer officer in charge of public buildings and grounds, who has direction, as the authorized official of the government, of all preparations for the occasion.

Satisfactory Progress Reported.

The national board of directors of the order, headed by Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty and Commissioner Hearn, inspected the progress on the statue in Union station plaza yesterday. The situation was found satisfactory and the assurance of the constructors were regarded as fitting in well with all necessities.

Commissioner Hearn has just completed a trip through the middle west, and at such points as Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburgh, he says, preparations already are being made by delegations of the Knights of Columbus to come to Washington for the unveiling.

Many of the delegations are planning to reach Washington June 6 and to make a general pilgrimage to Mount Vernon June 7. Commissioner Hearn will meet with the Washington Knights of Columbus, to discuss the prospects and situation at a mass meeting to be held in connection with the regular meeting of Carroll County, tomorrow evening in Knights of Columbus Hall, 601 E. street. State Deputy Edward P. Harrington will represent the Washington council in the Conference.

Will Welcome Senator Ashurst.

Carroll Council will extend a great welcome Tuesday night, to Senator-elect Henry F. Ashurst of Arizona, who has been widely identified with the work of the order in the new state. Upon invitation of Grand Knight William J. McGee, Mr. Ashurst will attend the meeting and make a short speech.

The national board of directors assembled, this morning in the library of the New Willard Hotel, for the quarterly meeting. The business was transacted behind closed doors, but there was no doubt that the meeting was of great importance.

During the session, which will continue for several days, the directors will decide on the place for the next meeting of the convention of the order. Plans for the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the Columbus statue also will be discussed.

Members of the Board.

The members of the board are as follows:

SPENDS NIGHT IN PERIL UNDERWOOD AIMS SHAFT AT COL. ROOSEVELT

Maiden Marooned on Rock by Flood Rescued by Gun Club Members.

Special Dispatch to The Star. HARRISBURG, Pa., April 1.—The members of the Blue Ridge Rod and Gun Club, near here, among them several Washingtonians, rescued a young woman from drowning. Saturday afternoon Miss Grace Wilkoff, daughter of John H. Wilkoff, a farmer who lives about two miles out of town, undertook a drive to visit friends beyond Short mountain, but on rounding the bend at the foot of the cliff on which the clubhouse stands she found herself in a rising current of the Potomac.

Jumps Into Raging Waters.

The water grew deeper as she drove onward until the carriage floated. She jumped into the swirling water, which reached almost to her shoulders, and unlatched the horse from the carriage. The latter was promptly overturned. Then she mounted the swimming horse, but, perceiving that either the horse or herself would drown, she swung off to a rock, where, despite her efforts to attract attention from shore, she spent the entire night, almost denied of clothing, which had been torn from her by the raging water.

In Almost Frozen Condition.

The appearance on the club grounds next morning of a young woman, fully dressed, led to inquiry, and about 9 o'clock the girl was discovered and rescued. In an exhausted and almost frozen condition. She was conveyed to the clubhouse, where restoratives were applied by the steward and his wife, and late in the afternoon in company with her father, who had been informed of her predicament, she was sent to her home.

NEW MUSTER ROLL SYSTEM.

Saving of 50 Per Cent in Keeping Records of Army Expected.

The beginning of the next fiscal year, July 1 next, will mark the discontinuance of the forms of army muster rolls which have been used in the military establishment for many years past. The last muster under the present form will be for the quarter ending June 30 next. The Secretary of War recently approved plans for reforms in this paper work, suggested by the General Staff Corps, and those in charge of the change are now perfecting the physical features of the new forms.

It is estimated that the reform about to be inaugurated will effect a saving of about 50 per cent in the cost of keeping records of the enlisted personnel. There will be a great reduction of supervisory and clerical work in the office of the adjutant general at the War Department, as well as throughout the military establishment at large.

Declines College Presidency.

BOSTON, April 1.—The Rev. Clifton D. Gray, Ph. D., of the Stoughton Street Baptist Church, will decline the presidency of Shurtleff College in Upper Arlington, recently offered him. He will remain with the Dorchester Church.

Winchester, Va.—The Norfolk and Western Railway Company will install telephones in all its stations on the Shenandoah Valley division for train dispatching and other business, thus doing away with the telegraph. The new plan may be extended to other divisions.

DEATH OF W. W. MCINTIRE.

Former Representative in Congress From Maryland.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 1.—William Watson McIntire, member of the sewerage commission, former congressman and one of the most prominent Republicans in Maryland, died of apoplexy at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night at Dundee, a fishing shore on the Gunpowder river, about two and one-half miles from Chase's station, on the Pennsylvania railroad.

A fishing party had been arranged the night before, and when his friends sent word that they could not join him until late in the afternoon Mr. McIntire boarded a train at Union station at 6:30 a.m. and went to the shore alone.

He had been in a rowboat for several hours when some acquaintances noticed that the boat was apparently empty. They called several times, and, receiving no reply, made an investigation. Mr. McIntire was found unconscious in the bottom of the boat. He was removed to the shore and a short while later Dr. John W. Harrison of Middle River was summoned. Mr. McIntire died without having regained consciousness.

Born in Clinton, Md., in 1850, Mr. McIntire was the eldest child of the late James McIntire. The family moved to Washington county when "Buck" McIntire was scarcely more than past the age of kids.

After attending public schools and Lehigh University, Mr. McIntire came to Baltimore in 1872 at the suggestion of his father. He obtained employment with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as a machinist and later served a number of years in the railway mail service, but went out when Cleveland was elected President in 1884.

In 1886 he was given the republican nomination for Congress in the fourth district and was opposed by William J. O'Brien. Mr. McIntire was elected by a large majority in the landslide which carried President McKinley to the White House. The late Sydney E. Mudd was the republican representative from the fifth district at that session, and he and Mr. McIntire co-operated in saving the United States from the financial disaster which had been made to move it to Rhode Island. Mr. Mudd was a member of the naval committee.

Mr. McIntire stood for reelection to Congress in 1888, but was defeated by James W. Denny, democrat.

To Launch Texas May 18.

The Newport News Shipbuilding Company has set May 18 on which to launch the battleship Texas, and expects to have President Taft present on that occasion.

Montana Cities to Vote Tomorrow.

HELENA, Mont., April 1.—City officials will be elected throughout Montana tomorrow. The chief interest is in the outcome of the fight of the socialists and anti-socialists in Butte and Helena. Butte's mayor and five of the eight hold-over councilmen are socialists. In Helena a full list of officials is to be elected.

Havre de Grace, Md.—While working in a field near Aldino John P. Worthington shot three wild geese out of a flock of eight.

A personal invitation for You

We would like to visit every home and invite the people to our salesrooms to hear the Victor. That's hardly possible, so we want everybody to consider this a personal invitation to come and hear the

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The wonderful musical instrument that plays all kinds of music and entertainment so true to life that it is just like hearing the artists themselves.

The proof is in the hearing. Come in any time—no obligation to buy.

The Robert C. Rogers Co.,

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The Only House in the City Selling Victor Goods Exclusively.

Those present were:

Lawrence Murray, Dr. J. D. Gatewood, Dr. H. McMurdo, E. B. White, E. J. Faulkner, James Leiter, J. Miller Kenyon, B. L. Howell, R. W. Moore, J. P. C. Fauntleroy, Dr. William M. Cabell, Thomas R. Keith, William C. Bustis, John D. Barbour, Henry Fairlie, L. S. Greene, John H. Nelson, Col. E. B. Wille, Dr. C. D. Langhorne, Dr. A. A. Snyder, Dr. Richardson, Walter T. Oliver, F. S. McDaniel, Dr. Cabell Moore, John K. Wood, H. Wood, Basil Boteler, W. B. Mathews, W. O. Owen, Dr. John C. Wise, Dr. John D. Thomas, J. K. N. Norcross, Arthur Lee, C. M. Sinclair, Dr. Philip Roy, Dr. Francis R. Hagner, Dr. A. B. Hoge, Dr. W. H. Wilmer, Douglas Stuart, E. E. Holland, Col. J. R. Keen, Surgeon General G. A. Torney, Dr. P. M. Rixey, H. A. Herbert, R. B. Carmichael, M. A. Harrison, W. E. Carr, W. J. Humphreys, B. S. Miner, F. W. Gwathney, Dr. J. C. Boyd, Charles E. Howe, Dr. C. T. Grayson, Dr. W. H. Dabose, Dr. Guy T. Whiting, R. L. Preston, Dr. J. H. Bryan, Surgeon General Rupert Blue, J. R. Randall, Col. J. E. W. Lewis, Marshall King, Charles King, Jr., Justice Lorton, Justice Lamar, Alexander Hamilton, T. E. Jeffries, R. B. Tunstall.

HIS PROOFS DESTROYED.

Remarkable Story.

By this time the readers of our Sunday Magazine have a pretty good idea of the first part of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's "The Lost World," of which two installments have already been published, and can easily believe that it is destined to become famous. Indeed, many literary judges are of the opinion that it will be right at the top of the best sellers for a long time after it appears in book form. From a display point of view our Sunday Magazine will be far superior to the book, as we have the splendid drawings made by Joseph Clement Col, who is unexcelled as a pen and ink artist, which require the large

pages of our Sunday Magazine to make an adequate setting.

The second installment left Malone back in Challenger's study listening to the brilliant professor beginning the amazing story of his experiences in South America. In our next issue the scientist's tale is concluded, with the narration of the most wonderful happening ever told, either in fiction or in fact. Unfortunately for Challenger, an accident proceeds of which will appear in the following issue of our Sunday Magazine.

If you want to read the want columns of The Star.